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TAGS: ETRD, EAGR, CO

SUBJECT: GOC CONCERNS OVER ITC INVESTIGATION OF FLOWER
IMPORTS

REF: BOGOTA 2668

IN A DIPLOMATIC NOTE TO THE EMBASSY DATED MARCH 21, 1977,
FOREIGN MINISTRY HAS EXPRESSED GOC CONCERNS OVER THE POSSI-
BLE OUTCOME OF THE US ITC'S INVESTIGATION OF CUT FLOWER
IMPORTS. FOLLOWING IS AN INFORMAL TRANSLATION OF THE
PERTINENT SECTIONS OF THE NOTE:

QUOTE. THE MINISTRY OF FOREIGN RELATIONS PRESENTS
ITS COMPLIMENTS TO THE EMBASSY OF THE UNITED STATES OF
AMERICA AND HAS THE HONOR TO REFER TO THE REQUEST PRE-
SENTED TO THE INTERNATIONAL TRADE COMMITTEE (SIC) BY
THE SOCIETY OF FLORISTS AND AMERICAN ORNAMENTAL HORTICUL-
TURISTS, BASED ON SECTION 201 OF THE TRADE ACT OF 1974
AND SUBSECTION B OF THE RULES OF PRACTICE AND PROCEDURE
OF THE UNITED STATES INTERNATIONAL TRADE COMMISSION,
REGARDING THE IMPORTATION OF FLOWERS.

QUOTE. THE MINISTRY OF FOREIGN RELATIONS WISHES
TO EXPRESS TO THE EMBASSY THE DEEP CONCERN OF THE
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COLOMBIAN GOVERNMENT AND COLOMBIAN FLOWER EXPORTERS
WITH RESPECT TO THE RESULTS THAT MIGHT ARISE FROM THE
REQUEST, GIVEN THE IMPORTANCE OF FLOWERS IN THE EXPORT
DIVERSIFICATION POLICY OF COLOMBIA AND THE HEAVEY IN-
VESTMENT UNDERTAKEN IN THIS SECTO.
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